HOW FRENCH PREMIER DISAPPOINTED GERMANS

RENE VIVIANI KNEW NOTHING OF BREWSTER'S BERLIN'S NEUTRALITY SCHEME

German Ambassador Asked Him What Would Be the Course of France in Case of a Conflict Between Germany and Russia — Premier Replied That France Would Be Guided by Her Interests.

Paris, Mar. 3-Rene Viviani, who ed himself the humiliation of hearing was premier and foreign minister when
the war began and was at the head of
the French government for more than
the French government for more than a year thereafter, says in an interview office on July 31, 1914. You will rewith the Petit Journal that he knew member that he asked me what would with the Petit Journal that he knew member that he asked me what would be the course of France in case of a then German chancellor, Dr. Von Beth mann-Hollweg, to Baron Von Schoen, then German ambassador at Paris, regarding the conditions on which France, if she remained neutral in the work hetween Germany and Russia, was been considered by the substitution of the conditions of the course of France in case of a better course of France in case of a conflict between Germany and Russia. The question was a plain one and undoubtedly the ambassador expected me what would be the course of France in case of a conflict between Germany and Russia. The question was a plain one and undoubtedly the ambassador expected me what would be the course of France in case of a conflict between Germany and Russia. The question was a plain one and undoubtedly the ambassador expected me what would be the course of France in case of a conflict between Germany and Russia. The question was a plain one and undoubtedly the ambassador expected me what would be the conflict between Germany and Russia. var between Germany and Russia, was

Needless to say, Baron Von Schoen made to him did not transmit the proposal to me," said M. Viviani. "He thus spared me the humiliation of hearing of the dishonorable bargain proposed and spar- more to say." "What I did say in answer to him was, France will be guided by her interests.' You Schoen had nothing more to say."

war between Germany and Russia, was to guarantee her neutrality. (In an address Friday the French foreign minister, Stephen Pichon, quoted the instructions from Dr. Von Bethmann Hollweg, in effect that France would be required to turn over the fortresses of Toul and Verdun to Germany for the duration of the war with Russia, if she decided to remain neutral).

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"What I did say in answer to him

LITTLE FIGHTING

ANOTHER SPANISH

GERMAN NAVAL

Torpedo Boat and Mine Sweepers Hit Mine Field.

The Hague, Mar. 1—(Delayed)— ment says, "our patrols took enemy arms and ammunition. The French can into mines today six miles off the island of Vileland, in North Holland. in the course of attempts of Germans to save the crews one boat got into the Field Marshal Haig's headquarte to save the crews one boat got into the surf and capsized. Five men from this boat were landed on the island.

According to the Handelsblad heavy gunfire was heard in this locality last aight.

London, Mar. 3-An Amsterdam despatch to the Daily Mail says that at spatch to the Daily Mail says that at one o'clock on Friday morning a German torpedo boat and two German mine sweepers ran into mines off Vliedand Island and where blown up. A German vessel, which was in the vicinity lowered a boat to save the crews but the high seas made it imposible to reach the crews of the wrecked vessels and the boat drifted to the island.

The despatch says in the despa

Herbert H. Blanchette, the maritim Co., Toronto, to Miss Lorraine Florence Gauvin, daughter of Frederick W Gouvin of Moncton, took place at the bride's home here Saturday, Rev. W H. Barraclough officiating. Mr. and Blanchette left for Halifax where they will reside.

POPE HEARS FINNS

Rome, Mar. 2—Pope Benedict, surunded by the Papal court, today relived in the Throne Room a Delegation from Finland which presented an address announcing the constitution of he republic of Finland.

The Pope replied, thanking the deleation and expressing joy at the satisfication felt by Finlanders for having aimed their independence. He bettowed on the delegation the apostolic benediction, after which he conversed with the delegates for half an hour in his private apartments.

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Special to The Standard.

St. Andrews, Mar. 3.—This community is saddened by the news that Walter Greenlaw, of Bayside, had met with an early and untimely death near Kingman, Me. Mr. Greenlaw, who was employed as a section hand on the railway, was found dead on the side of the roadbed with both legs cut off.

The body was brought here and buried at Dumbarton, the home of his wife, formerly Miss Goss.

He is survived by his parents and wife and two children.

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Special to The Standard.

Monoton, Mar. 3—Word was received here today of the death at Hatelalis Point, Kings Co., of J. H. Wetmore, a former well known C. G. R. maployee and residente in Monoton fr. Wetmore was a well known vocallabeling associated with several city shofts at different times. His daughter, now Mrs. Neuman of New York, prior to her marriage, was a well mander et the home forces an staff arrived in Dublin today.

SUCCESSOR NOT KNOWN

After Funeral — Touching Tribute from Sir George Foster.

Victoria, B. C., Mar. 3—The announ-ement was made Saturday after-oon, by Hon. John Oliver, acting remier, that until after the funeral

Sir George's Tribute.

Ottawa, Mar. 3—Sir George Foster, acting prime minister paid the following tribute to the late Premier Brewster of British Columbia:

"I have seen with deepest regret the announcement of the sudden and layers the death of

lamented death of Hon. Mr. Brewster, premier of British Columbia. Mr. Brewster came to Ottawa only a few days ago at the call of duty to attend the conference between the provincial premiers and the dominion govern-ment. In that conference he took a prominent and influential part. He ment. In that conference he took a prominent and influential part. He left us in apparently good health and the news of his sudden demise come as a shock to us all. Men like Mr. Brewster are sorely needed in our public life and their passing will be sincerely deplored when taken from it. In the prime of life, occupying a dominant position in his province, with high ideals of public administration and duty Mr. Brewster's presed in both province and dominion. To his bereaved family the sympathies of the government and of the people of Canada are most sincerely tendered.

DYNAMITE TRIAL

Now peen comming all railroads that made, and wagning all railroads that made, and wagning all railroads that made in their fregit trains were liable to be to wrecked as many have been in this manner.

B. and A. Wreck.

It is at least a singular coincidence that Thursday the main line of the alargor and Aroostook was blocked for some hours by the derailment of several cars of a freight train due to a broken arch bar under one of the cars, and that last night the main line of the Maine Central was blocked from a similar freight wreck.

Undoubtedly occurrences of this kind will continue and grow worse until the authorities deal with these alien enemies more severely than they have heretofore. BY ITALIANS British Capture Few Prisoners Northeasa of Polygon Wood

Rome, Mar. 2—Owing to bad weather fighting activity has been very slight along the whole front, says the official statement from the Italian war office issued this evening. "On the Asiago Plateau," the statement ways "our party says "our **NEXT MONDAY**

Eleven Men Will Face Jury in London, Mar. 3-The report from Case Growing Out of Explosion at Lord Atholstan's Summer Residence.

ANOTHER SPANISH
SHIP TORPEDOED

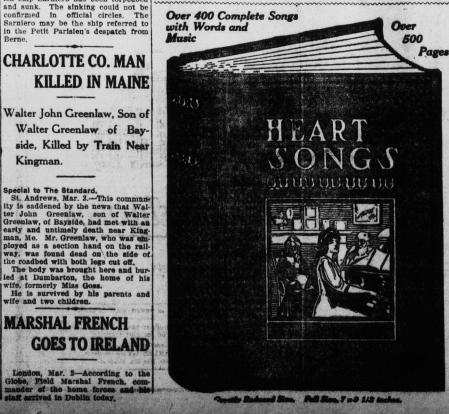
Montreal, Mar. 3.—The trial of the eleven men charged with complicity in the attempt to blow up Lord Atholstan and his family at their summer residence fit Cartierville last August, which was almost concluded at the Novem but had to be adjourned owing to the but had to be adjourned owing to the liness of one of the jurors, will begin all over again on March 11. In connection with these cases true bills were found by the grand jury Saturday against Elie Lalumiere and Romeo Wisintainer, charged with the attempted murder of Lord Atholstan and family. Germans Again Violate Their

GERMANS MAY CAUSE WRECKS ON RAILROADS

East and Suspicious Circumstances Lead Railroad Direc tor-General to Issue Warn-

KIEV RETAKEN BY

GERMAN ATTACKS



STOLE FROM CHURCH, DIES

No Conclusion Reached Until Numerous Train Wrecks in the Willard S. Allen, Who Embezzled \$110,000 from Methodist Espicopal Church, Dead in New Mexico.

While it is understood that all the Teutonic allies have signed the formal treaty ending the war with Russia, it is said that the economic and legal phases of resuming peaceful relations will be taken up individually by each country.

The German Socialists have bitterly

Berlin, Mar. 2. via London—General
Von Linsingen's troops have captured
Gomel (120 miles southeast of Mohilev) the official statement also declares.

The announcement follows: "In Esthonia and Livonia our operations are
taking their course.
"General Von Linsingen is following
up the enemy, who was defeated near
Byechitsa. We captured Gomel.
"Kelv, capital of Ukraine, has been
liberated by Ukrainian and Saxon
troops.

The German Socialists have butsel,
at each packet the peace treaty with Russia,
the adeato in the Reichstag there
were charges that Germany and Austria are already quarrelling over the
spoils of war and that the real truth of
the situation in the east is being kept
trom the German public.

While Berlin says that the German
have captured troops have occupied three more towns in
staffs of two Russian infantry as well as the
staffs of two Russian corps.

also struck a mine, all on board being lost.

H. H. BLANCHETTE

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Spanish ship, which had been chartered by Switzer-land and was conveying 3,000 tons of wheat from America to Europe, has been torpeded and sunk, according to a despatch from Berne, to the Pett Parisian. The sinking of the Berne.

London, Saturday, Mar. 2—The Gernamy season, the war conference of Canasham and the Reichstag in the course of Fridays' debate by Herr together Scientists, and thousands of radicod at the most take quarters in a local hotel.

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leave afterwards.

The most serious feature of the new demands compared with those of February 21, is the following: "To detach the regions of Karaband, Kars and Batcum from Russian territory on the pretext of the right of peoples to self-

EIGHT AMERICAN SOLDIERS KILLED

Washington, Mar. 3.-Eight Amer old F. Barie, of Tilton, N. H., and fourteen men were wounded in the fight with the Germans north of Toul, March 1, the war department announc-

A NEW SCHOOMER.

The official measurements of the new three-masted schooner Hilda M. Stack, built by the Annapolis Shipping Co., to be launched at Annapolis this month, are as follows: Length over all 171.5 feet, breadth 35 feet, depth 13.2 feet, tonnage 648.15 gross and 573.57 net register. The vessel is considerably larger than the Beechland, launched last September. It is said she will be towed to St. John is load here for the south.

AUSTRALIANS WILL SEND

Plans in Notable Speech Before Empire League, Sydney-Women to Aid Recruiting.

Bangor, Me., Mar. 3.—A short time go all of the eastern railroads received of notice from the government regional director general at New York that many freight trains were being wrecked due to brake beams falling down or becoming disconnected, broken arches and various other mishaps to the running gear of freight cars.

The director general had strong grounds for believing, as the running gear of all freight cars is carefully inspected before any train is allowed to leave a terminal that malicious mishief was the real cause for many of these wrecks.

Suspicious Signs.

This belief was based upon many suspicious circumstances and the fact that alien enemies desire to interfers as much as possible with the prompt as much as possible with the prompt and for the Allies, and a few days ago the regional director general issued and for the Allies, and a few days ago the regional director general issued as second notice to eastern railroads stating that the previous suspicions had now been confirmed and some arrests as made, and warning all railroads that their freight trains were liable to be wrecked as many have been in this manner.

Band A. Wreck.

Boston, Mar. 3.—Word of the death to Willard S. Allen. Who fled from Boston Aug. 3,1903. Allen. Who fled from Boston Aug. 3,1903. Charged with the embezalement of 5110,000 from the Preachers' Aid Society, has been received here. Attorned there today, as the guest at puncheon of the Embezalement of the few here today, as the guest at puncheon of the Embezalement of the Cushman, who was notified of the election of the Methodist conference of the new today. Allen. In the leave of death, but he presumed it was the real cause for many of these wrecks.

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eneral Von Linsingen is following to enemy, who was defeated near hitsa. We captured Gomel. etv. capital of Ukraine and have captured three divisions of Russian infantry as well as the staffs of two Russian corps.

Shevik Capture Four Cities.

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tation of another ultimatum.

"In view of this fact and in consequence of the Germans refusal to cease military action until peace is signed, we have resolved to sign the treaty without discussing its contents and leave after we have attached our signatures. We therefore have requested a train, expecting to sign today and leave afterwards.

The most serious features of the straight north, apparently heading for the Manuel Stands.

"The winds of March are rough but they blow away old winter and all that pertain to him."—Bancroft Everything in clothes here to take a fresh start for the

Every style, except bad style.

Prices that wont scare any-body, and patterns and col-ors that will please everybody and everybody who is anybody will be interested in this showing.

Gilmour's, 68 King St.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Decreasing northerly to westerly winds; fair and cold today, then rising temperature.

Toronto, Mar. 3.—During Saturday night a cold wave spread into Ontario and Quebec from Hudson's Bay, in the rear of a developing depression which is tonight centered over Newfoundland. In the west the weather is also land. In the west the weather is also now turning much colder.

Washington, Mar. 3—Northern New England—Fair Monday and probably Tuesday, warmer Tuesday; diminish-ing northwest becoming variable

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Victoria	36	44
Vancouver	34	46
Edmonton		12
Battleford	8	26
Medicine Hat		44
Moose Jaw		35
Winnipeg		40
Port Arthur		28
Parry Sound		20
London		37
Toronto		26
Ottawa		20
Montreal		20
Quebec		19
Hailfax		32
*-Below zero.		

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You are not forgotten, Mother dear, nor will you ever be
So long as life and memory lasts we will remember thee.
You suffered much, you murmured not We watched you day by day Until at last, with broken hearts, we saw you pass away.



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